B1 (Official Form 1) (4/10) UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT VOLUNTARY PETITION Southern District of New York Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): 216 West 18 Owner LLC Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle): All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names): (include married, maiden, and trade names): Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN)/Complete EIN Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN)/Complete EIN (if more than one, state all): 20-8735073 (if more than one, state all): Street Address of Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): 216 West 18th Street New York, NY ZIP CODE 10011 ZIP CODE County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: New York Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address): Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (if different from street address): c/o Steven A. Carlson 45 Adams Road, Easton, CT ZIP CODE 06612 ZIP CODE Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different from street address above): 216 West 18th Street, New York, New York ZIP CODE 10011 Type of Debtor Nature of Business Chapter of Bankruptcy Code Under Which (Form of Organization) (Check one box.) the Petition is Filed (Check one box.) (Check one box.) Health Care Business Chapter 7 ☐ Chapter 15 Petition for Individual (includes Joint Debtors) Single Asset Real Estate as defined in Chapter 9 Recognition of a Foreign See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form. 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B) V Main Proceeding Chapter 11 Corporation (includes LLC and LLP) Railroad Chapter 12 Chapter 15 Petition for Partnership Stockbroker Chapter 13 Recognition of a Foreign 巨 Other (If debtor is not one of the above entities, Commodity Broker Nonmain Proceeding check this box and state type of entity below.) Clearing Bank Other Nature of Debts (Check one box.) Tax-Exempt Entity (Check box, if applicable.) ☐ Debts are primarily consumer **☑** Debts are primarily debts, defined in 11 U.S.C. business debts. Debtor is a tax-exempt organization § 101(8) as "incurred by an under Title 26 of the United States individual primarily for a Code (the Internal Revenue Code). personal, family, or household purpose." Filing Fee (Check one box.) Chapter 11 Debtors Check one hove Full Filing Fee attached. Debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). Debtor is not a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). Filing Fee to be paid in installments (applicable to individuals only). Must attach signed application for the court's consideration certifying that the debtor is unable to pay fee except in installments. Rule 1006(b). See Official Form 3A. Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to insiders or affiliates) are less than \$2,343,300 (amount subject to adjustment Filing Fee waiver requested (applicable to chapter 7 individuals only). Must on 4/01/13 and every three years thereafter). attach signed application for the court's consideration. See Official Form 3B. Check all applicable boxes: A plan is being filed with this petition. Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b) Statistical/Administrative Information THIS SPACE IS FOR COURT USE ONLY Debtor estimates that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors. Debtor estimates that, after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses paid, there will be no funds available for distribution to unsecured creditors. Estimated Number of Creditors  $\mathbf{Z}$  $\Box$  $\Box$ 1-49 50-99 1,000-100-199 200-999 5,001-10,001-25,001-50,001-Over 5,000 10,000 25,000 50,000 100,000 100,000 Estimated Assets П \$0 to \$50,001 to \$100,001 to \$500,001 \$1,000,001 \$10,000,001 \$50,000,001 \$100,000,001 \$500,000,001 More than \$50,000 \$100,000 \$500,000 to \$1 to \$10 to \$50 to \$100 to \$500 to \$1 billion \$1 billion million million million million million Estimated Liabilities \$0 to \$50,001 to \$100,001 to \$500,001 \$1,000,001 \$10,000,001 \$50,000,001 \$100,000,001 \$500,000,001 More than \$50,000 \$100,000 \$500,000 to \$1 to \$10 to \$50 to \$100 to \$500 to \$1 billion \$1 billion

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	See Annex A	Case Number:	Date Filed:
District:	Southern District of New York	Relationship:	Judge:
with the Secur	Exhibit A  ted if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., forms 10K and 10Q) ities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the hange Act of 1934 and is requesting relief under chapter 11.)	(To be completed if dewhose debts are prima)  I, the attorney for the petitioner named have informed the petitioner that [he or shor 13 of title 11, United States Code, and each such chapter. I further certify that I required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).	ebtor is an individual rily consumer debts.) in the foregoing petition, declare that I ne] may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, have explained the relief available under
☐ Exhibit A	A is attached and made a part of this petition.	X	
		Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s)	(Date)
✓ No.  (To be completed Exhibit If this is a joint of the complete th	Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition.  Exhibit cd by every individual debtor. If a joint petition is filed, each spouse must D completed and signed by the debtor is attached and made a part of this petition:  D also completed and signed by the joint debtor is attached and made a part of this petition:	complete and attach a separate Exhibit D.) petition.	
<b></b>	Information Regarding t (Check any applic Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place of preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partne	cable box.)  f business, or principal assets in this District than in any other District.	et for 180 days immediately
	Debtor is a debtor in a foreign proceeding and has its principal place of business or principal assets in the United States in this District, or has no principal place of business or assets in the United States but is a defendant in an action or proceeding [in a federal or state court] in this District, or the interests of the parties will be served in regard to the relief sought in this District.		
	Certification by a Debtor Who Resides as (Check all applical  Landlord has a judgment against the debtor for possession of debtor	ble boxes.)	6 D
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		Name of landlord that obtained judgment)	
		Address of landlord)	
	Debtor claims that under applicable nonbankruptcy law, there are cirentire monetary default that gave rise to the judgment for possession,	cumstances under which the debtor would b , after the judgment for possession was enter	e permitted to cure the red, and
	Debtor has included with this petition the deposit with the court of an of the petition.	ny rent that would become due during the 30	-day period after the filing

Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this certification. (11 U.S.C. § 362(1)).

Voluntary Petition	Name of Debtor(s): 216 West 18 Owner LLC	
(This page must be completed and filed in every case.)		
Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint)	Signature of a Foreign Representative	
I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct.  [If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts and has chosen to file under chapter 7] I am aware that I may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12 or 13 of title 11, United States Code, understand the relief available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7.  [If no attorney represents me and no bankruptcy petition preparer signs the petition] I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).  I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.	I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, that I am the foreign representative of a debtor in a foreign proceeding, and that I am authorized to file this petition.  (Check only one box.)  I request relief in accordance with chapter 15 of title 11, United States Code. Certified copies of the documents required by 11 U.S.C. § 1515 are attached.  Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1511, I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11 specified in this petition. A certified copy of the order granting recognition of the foreign main proceeding is attached.	
X Signature of Debtor	X (Signature of Foreign Representative)	
Signature of Joint Debtor	(Printed Name of Foreign Representative)	
Telephone Number (if not represented by attorney)  Date	Date .	
Signature of Attorney*	Signature of Non-Attorney Bankruptcy Petition Preparer	
Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) Lloyd A. Palans Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s) Bryan Cave LLP Firm Name 1290 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10104-3300  Address (212) 541-2000 Telephone Number 11/1/11 Date  *In a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, this signature also constitutes a certification that the attorney has no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules is incorrect.	I declare under penalty of perjury that: (1) I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110; (2) I prepared this document for compensation and have provided the debtor with a copy of this document and the notices and information required under 11 U.S.C. §§ 110(b), 110(h), and 342(b); and, (3) if rules or guidelines have been promulgated pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 110(h) setting a maximum fee for services chargeable by bankruptcy petition preparers, I have given the debtor notice of the maximum amount before preparing any document for filing for a debtor or accepting any fee from the debtor, as required in that section. Official Form 19 is attached.  Printed Name and title, if any, of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer  Social-Security number (If the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual, state the Social-Security number of the officer, principal, responsible person or partner of the bankruptcy petition preparer.) (Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110.)	
Signature of Debtor (Corporation/Partnership)		
I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct, and that I have been authorized to file this petition on behalf of the debtor.	X Address	
The debtor requests the relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.  X Signature of Authorized Individual Steven A. Carlson Printed Name of Authorized Individual Chief Restructuring Officer Title of Authorized Individual 11/1/11 Date	Signature of bankruptcy petition preparer or officer, principal, responsible person, or partner whose Social-Security number is provided above.  Names and Social-Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing this document unless the bankruptcy petition preparer is not an individual.  If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the appropriate official form for each person.  A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or both. II USC & III 18 ISC & ISC	

#### ANNEX A

### PENDING BANKRUPTCY CASES FILED BY AFFILIATES OF DEBTOR

- 216 West 18 Mezz LLC
- 216 West 18 Holder LLC

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#### LIST OF CREDITORS HOLDING 20 LARGEST UNSECURED CLAIMS

Following is a list of the creditors holding the 20 largest unsecured claims against 216 West 18 Owner LLC. The list is prepared in accordance with Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(d) for filing in this chapter 11 case. The list does not include (1) persons who come within the definition of "insider" set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 101, or (2) secured creditors.<sup>1</sup>

Please note that the amounts listed herein are submitted for compliance with Fed. R. Bankr. P. 1007(d) and are not an admission of liability by any Debtor.

## DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF CORPORATION

I, Steven A Carlson, Chief Restructuring Officer of the Debtor herein, do hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing List of Creditors Holding 20 Largest Unsecured Claims and that it is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Date:

November 1, 2011

Signature:

Steven A. Carlson

# **EXHIBIT A**

Name of Creditor and complete mailing address including zip code	Name, telephone number and complete mailing address, including zip code, of employee, agent, or department of creditor familiar with claim who may be contacted	Nature of claim (trade debt, bank loan, government contract, etc.)	Indicate if claim is contingent, unliquidated, disputed or subject to setoff	Amount of claim (if secured also state value of security)
Wonder Works Construction Corp.	18 W. 21st Street, 4th Floor New York, NY 10010	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$1,203,920.51
18 <sup>th</sup> Street Owner LLC	c/o Atlas Capital Group LLC 505 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10017	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$338,154.36
Gibraltar Contracting Inc.	245 E. 137th Street Bronx, NY 10451	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$268,629.00
Ramapo Lighting and Electric	32 S. Central Avenue Spring Valley, NY 10977	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$187,650.00
Aura Electrical Supply Inc.	1355 60 <sup>th</sup> Street Brooklyn, NY 11219	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$120,000.00
Eastern Air Inc.	260 Johnson Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11206	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$115,675.00
Rotavele Elevator Inc.	414 Seneca Avenue Ridgewood, NY 11385	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$110,514.17
Perfect Z Construction Inc.	66-14 54th Avenue Maspeth, NY 11378	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$99,923.00
Grubb & Ellis New York, Inc.	1177 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10036	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$70,996.08
Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	165 Broadway New York, NY 10006	Judgment		\$38,650.90
Galasso Trucking & Rigging, Inc.	Two Galasso Place Maspeth, NY 11378	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$17,789.00
Secure Door and Hardware Inc.	265 46th Street Brooklyn, NY 11220	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim		\$15,688.56
Envirospect Inc.	110 Lake Avenue South, Suite 31 Nesconset, NY 11767	Unsecured mechanic's lien claim	A contract of the contract of	\$6,262.23

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#### **CONSOLIDATED LIST OF CREDITORS**

The debtor in this chapter 11 case and certain affiliated entities (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>") each filed a petition in this Court on the date hereof for relief under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "<u>Bankruptcy Code</u>"). Attached is a single consolidated list of creditors (the "<u>Consolidated Creditors List</u>"), in lieu of separate lists. The Consolidated Creditors List is also being uploaded into the Court's ECF creditors' database.

Dated: November 1, 2011 New York, New York

Respectfully submitted,

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Proposed Attorneys for the Debtors and Debtors-in-Possession

## DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF CORPORATION

I, Steven A. Carlson, Chief Restructuring Officer of the Debtor herein, do hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I have reviewed the Consolidated List of Creditors submitted contemporaneously herewith and that it is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Date:

November 1, 2011

Signature:

Steven'A. Carlson

#### **MATRIX**

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18<sup>th</sup> Street Owner LLC c/o Atlas Capital Group LLC 505 5th Avenue New York, NY 10017

216 W 18 Lender LLC c/o Fishman Holdings North America Inc. 950 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Suite 3101 New York, NY 10022

Aura Electrical Supply Inc. 1355 60<sup>th</sup> Street Brooklyn, NY 11219

Company 3, LLC 218 West 18<sup>th</sup> Street New York, NY 10011

ConEdison JAF Station PO Box 1702 New York, NY 10116-1702

Eastern Air Inc. 260 Johnson Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11206

Envirospect Inc. 110 Lake Avenue South, Suite 31 Nesconset, NY 11767

Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland 600 Red Brook Blvd. Owings Mills, MD 21117

Galasso Trucking & Rigging, Inc. 2 Galasso Place Maspeth, NY 11378 Gibraltar Contracting Inc. 245 E. 137<sup>th</sup> Street Bronx, NY 10451

GreenOak Real Estate Advisors LP 399 Park Avenue 22<sup>nd</sup> Floor New York, NY 10022

Grubb & Ellis New York, Inc. 1177 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10036

HAJ 18 LLC c/o The Harsh Group 891 Second Avenue, 22<sup>nd</sup> Floor New York, NY 10017

Andrew L. Herz, Receiver Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP 1133 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10036

Internal Revenue Service Centralized Insolvency Operations P.O. Box 7346 Philadelphia, PA 19101-7436

Internal Revenue Service 290 Broadway New York, NY 10007

Jeffrey Management Corp. Attn: Drew Arnold 370 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 618 New York, NY 10001

Harry Jeremias c/o The Harsh Group 891 Second Avenue, 22<sup>nd</sup> Floor New York, NY 10017

JK 18 LLC Attn: Joseph M. Hershkowitz, Esq. Frenkel, Hershkowitz & Shafran, LLP 16 East 34<sup>th</sup> Street, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10016 Jeffrey H. Kaufman, Esq. Herrick Feinstein LLP 2 Park Avenue New York, NY 10016

Juda Kline Attn: Joseph M. Hershkowitz, Esq. Frenkel, Hershkowitz & Shafran, LLP 16 East 34<sup>th</sup> Street, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10016

Juda Kline 8 Sunrise Drive Monsey, NY 10952

New York Secretary of State Daniel E. Shapiro Department of State 1 Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave. Albany, NY 12231-0001

New York Secretary of State Daniel E. Shapiro Department of State 123 William Street New York, NY 10038-3804

NYS Dept. of Finance Attn: Bankruptcy Unit Audit Division 345 Adams Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Brooklyn, NY 11201

New York State Department Taxation and Finance Bankruptcy Section PO Box 5300 Albany, NY 12205-0300

Perfect Z Construction Inc. 66-14 54<sup>th</sup> Avenue Maspeth, NY 11378

Tsvi Pluczenik Attn: Joseph M. Hershkowitz, Esq. Frenkel, Hershkowitz & Shafran, LLP 16 East 34<sup>th</sup> Street, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10016 Ramapo Lighting and Electric 32 S. Central Avenue Spring Valley, NY 10977

Rotavele Elevator Inc. 414 Seneca Avenue Ridgewood, NY 11385

Secure Door and Hardware Inc. 265 46<sup>th</sup> Street Brooklyn, NY 11220

SY Partners, Inc. 218 West 18<sup>th</sup> Street New York, NY 10011

United States Attorney's Office Southern District of New York Attention: Tax and Bankruptcy Unit 86 Chambers Street, 3rd Floor New York, NY 10007

United States Trustee's Office Region 2 33 Whitehall Street, 21<sup>st</sup> Fl. New York, NY 10004

Wonder Works Construction Corp. 18 W. 21<sup>st</sup> Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10010

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#### **LIST OF EQUITY SECURITY HOLDERS**

The debtor in this chapter 11 case filed a petition in this Court on the date hereof for relief under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code"). Following is the list of 216 West 18 Owner LLC's equity security holders which was prepared in accordance with Rule 1007(a) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure for filing in this chapter 11 case.

Name of Equity Security Holder and Last Known Address	Number and Type of Shares
216 West 18 Mezz LLC 216 West 18th Street New York, New York 10011	100% of all membership interests

## DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY ON BEHALF OF CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP

I, Steven A. Carlson, Chief Restructuring Officer of the Debtor herein, declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the foregoing List of Equity Security Holders and that it is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Date:

November 1, 2011

Signature:

Steven A. Carlson

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#### **CORPORATE OWNERSHIP STATEMENT (RULE 7007.1)**

In accordance with Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 1007(a)(1), the undersigned certifies that the following entities directly or indirectly own 10% or more of any class of 216 West 18 Owner LLC's equity interests:

Name / Address	Interest	Percentage of Class
216 West 18 Mezz LLC 216 West 18th Street New York, New York 10011	Membership Interests	100%

Date:

November 1, 2011

Signature:

Steven A. Carlson

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Debtor.	

## CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORIZATION TO COMMENCE CHAPTER 11 CASE

I, Steven A. Carlson, the duly appointed and qualified Chief Restructuring Officer of 216 West 18 Owner LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Company"), do hereby certify that after due deliberation and review of all aspects of the Company's business and the various alternatives to commencing a Chapter 11 bankruptcy case, the member of the Company has unanimously determined that it is desirable and in the best interests of the Company, its creditors and all other interested parties as a whole for the Company to commence a Chapter 11 bankruptcy filing, and accordingly, the member of the Company has authorized and directed me to file a Voluntary Petition for relief on behalf of the Company under Chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York. Furthermore, the member of the Company has authorized and directed me to execute any and all petitions, affidavits, motions, documents, disclosures, mortgages and other contracts in connection with the filing of the Company's bankruptcy proceeding, and to effectuate all other actions as are necessary or desirable in the Company's Chapter 11 case.

216 WEST 18 OWNER LLC

Name: Steven A. Carlson

Title: Chief Restructuring Officer